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This is a response to the official action dated December 10, 2007 received in the patent application identified above. The status of claims is as indicated herein.